

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
Miami Division

**Case Number: 23-23791-CIV-MORENO**

CHRISTON KNOWLES, an individual,

Plaintiff,

vs.

PRESTIGE AUTO MIAMI LLC, a Florida  
limited liability company, and CIG  
FINANCIAL, a California limited liability  
company,

Defendants.

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**ORDER OF CONTINUANCE AND ORDER REVISING PRETRIAL DEADLINES**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court upon Parties' Joint Motion to Modify the Case Management and Scheduling Order (D.E. 24), filed on **February 28, 2024**.

THE COURT has considered the motion, the pertinent portions of the record, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, it is

**ADJUDGED** that for good cause shown, the motion is GRANTED as follows:

(1) **Trial Date** – The trial is **CONTINUED** from the two-week period commencing **July 29, 2024**, to the two-week period commencing **December 16, 2024**, in Miami, Florida.

(2) **Calendar Call** – Counsel must appear at Calendar Call which shall take place before the undersigned at the Wilkie D. Ferguson Federal Courthouse, 400 North Miami Avenue, Courtroom 12-2, Miami, Florida 33128, on **Tuesday, December 10, 2024, at 2:00 p.m.** The parties need not appear at Calendar Call. At Calendar Call counsel may bring all matters relating to the scheduled trial date to the attention of the Court.

(3) **Plaintiff's Witness and Exhibit Lists** – Plaintiff shall electronically upload onto the case docket a copy of Plaintiff's Witness List and a copy of Plaintiff's Exhibit List no later than **Wednesday, July 10, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.**

(a) **Plaintiff's Witness List** - Plaintiff's Witness List shall include all the witnesses, both lay and expert, that Plaintiff intends to call at trial. Plaintiff's Witness List

shall briefly describe the nature of each witness' testimony and whether such witnesses will be testifying live or by deposition. Witnesses omitted from the list will not be allowed at trial.

- (b) Plaintiff's Exhibit List** - Plaintiff's Exhibit List shall include the exhibits that Plaintiff intends to use at trial. Plaintiff's Exhibit List shall in consecutively numbered paragraphs adequately describe the nature of each document listed. The actual exhibits shall be pre-marked with corresponding numbers (*e.g.* Plaintiff's Exhibit #1, Plaintiff's Exhibit #2, *etc.*) which numbers they will retain through the end of trial. The exhibit list shall refer to specific items and shall not include blanket statements such as *all exhibits produced during depositions* or *Plaintiff reserves the use of any other relevant evidence*. Exhibits omitted from the list will not be allowed at trial.

**(4) Defendant's Witness and Exhibit Lists** – Defendant shall electronically upload onto the case docket a copy of Defendant's Witness List and a copy of Defendant's Exhibit List no later than **Friday, November 27, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.**

- (a) Defendant's Witness List** - Defendant's Witness List shall include only those additional lay and expert witnesses not included on Plaintiff's Witness List. Witnesses listed by Plaintiff will be available for both parties and should not be re-listed on Defendant's Witness List. Defendant's Witness List shall briefly describe the nature of each additional witness' testimony and whether such witnesses will be testifying live or by deposition. Witnesses omitted from Defendant's Witness List and not listed on Plaintiff's Witness List will not be allowed at trial.

- (b) Defendant's Exhibit List** - Defendant's Exhibit List shall include only those additional exhibits that Defendant wishes to introduce at trial which are not on Plaintiff's Exhibit List. Defendant's Exhibit List shall in consecutively numbered paragraphs adequately describe the nature of each document listed. The actual exhibits shall be pre-marked with corresponding numbers (*e.g.* Defendant's Exhibit #1, Defendant's Exhibit #2, *etc.*) which numbers they will retain through the end of trial. The exhibit list shall refer to specific items and shall not include blanket statements such as *all exhibits produced during depositions* or *Defendant*

*reserves the use of any other relevant evidence.* Exhibits omitted from Defendant's Exhibit List and not listed on Plaintiff's Exhibit List will not be allowed at trial.

(5) **Pretrial Stipulation** – Pursuant to Local Rule 16.1.E, the parties shall file a Pretrial Stipulation no later than **Tuesday, November 19, 2024**. The Pretrial Stipulation shall conform to the requirements of Local Rule 16.1.E. The parties shall attach to the Pretrial Stipulation copies of the witness and exhibit lists along with any objections allowed under Local Rule 16.1.E.9.

(6) **Other Pretrial Deadlines**

(a) **Discovery** – All discovery must be completed by **July 14, 2024**.

(b) **Summary Judgment** – All motions for summary judgment must be filed by **September 17, 2024**.

(c) **Pretrial Motions** – All other pretrial motions including Daubert and Motions in Limine shall be filed no later than **September 15, 2024**.

(7) **PREVIOUS SCHEDULING ORDERS** – This Order shall supersede only the inconsistent provisions of previous Scheduling Orders.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Florida, this 13<sup>th</sup> of March 2024.

  
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FEDERICO A. MORENO  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished to:

Counsel of Record